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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 17, 2001, Applicant submits the following remarks.

REMARKS

Applicant notes with appreciation the Examiner's granting of a telephonic interview on October 30, 2001. During the interview, the Examiner agreed with Applicant's arguments that the applied reference (U.S. Patent No. 5,917,405) does not disclose the "subscriber selected and defined alarm conditions" recited in most of the pending independent claims (subject to review